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SUBJ: CIVAIR--AVAILABILITY OF FUEL FOR BRANIFF

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1. THE ECUADOREAN STATE PETROLEUM CORPORATION (CEPE) IN A LETTER DATED MAY 11 TO THE LOCAL DIRECTOR OF BRANIFF, MIGUEL BURBANO, INFORMED HIM THAT THE FUEL QUOTAS FOR THE AIRLINE HAVE BEEN RAISED EFFECTIVE MAY 9 TO 40,000 GALLONS WEEKLY IN QUITO AND 46,000 GALLONS WEEKLY IN GUAYAQUIL.

2. BURBANO COMMENTED TO THE E/C COUNSELOR THAT THE EXPANDED QUOTAS HAVE SOLVED BRANIFF'S FUEL SUPPLY PROBLEM. HE EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT THE PROBLEM WOULD NOT RECUR, PROVIDED THAT THE NEW REFINERY IN ESMERALDAS COMES ON-STREAM NEXT MONTH AS SCHEDULED, OR NOT LONG AFTER. BLOOMFIELD

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